

Ask the Chief of the Anna Police: A weekly column allowing readers access to useful information about law enforcement issues in the Anna area.

This column is the personal opinion of Kenny Jenks and is based on his 29+ years of policing experience. It is not necessarily the official opinion of the City of Anna or the Anna Police Department. If you wish to Email, include your name and address in the correspondence. Your information will be edited before sending it to print.

Hello Readers,

I receive between 75-100 Emails each week from persons who would like to converse about the activities of the police in Anna and surrounding areas. I can't respond to or print all of them, but I do read them!

Benjamin of Tara Farms sent the following comment: *Dear Chief Jenks, I wanted to thank the members of your department for the added patrol time in my neighborhood. I am on sabbatical from work and have been home with the kids all summer. I have seen a police officer on my street at least once every day or so. I know that you take heat from some people about your attempts to make the highways in Anna safer and I wanted you to know that I am very pleased that your men are getting the safe streets program done without letting the neighborhood patrol time suffer. Please convey my thanks to everyone.*

Thank you Benjamin, I appreciate your comments.

**Hey parents, Join us on Saturday August 21 between the hours of 8am and Noon for a Child ID event at the Police Department, (101 S Powell Pkwy). Staff will be on hand in the main lobby to provide free Child ID cards to parents who wish to obtain one. The card will be a laminated ID card including the child's picture and a thumbprint. See you there!**

**Reminder: Outdoor Storm Sirens Tested (weather permitting)**  
First Wednesday of the month @ 12 noon.

**\*Phone numbers: Dial 911 in an emergency.** To have a police officer sent to you in a non-emergency, call 972-547-5350. During normal business hours, the APD number is 972-924-2848.

If you have a question or comment, please email: [kjenks@annatexas.gov](mailto:kjenks@annatexas.gov)